

# AKRON DAILY DEMOCRAT.

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AKRON, OHIO, FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 14, 1901.

PRICE ONE CENT.

## SPURNED

A \$2,500,000 Offer

For Philadelphia Railway Franchises.

Millionaire Wanamaker Puts a Mayor on Record.

Philadelphia, June 14.—(Spl.)—Mayor Ashbridge has stirred up a political hornet's nest again, and John Wanamaker, the merchant prince is again the prime mover in the opposition. At midnight the Mayor attacked his signature to all the rapid transit ordinances, granting franchises for underground elevated and surface roads. This he did notwithstanding the fact that John Wanamaker sent him a letter offering to pay Philadelphia \$2,500,000 for the franchises conferred by the ordinances passed by the select and common councils on Wednesday. Mr. Wanamaker in his letter, stated that as a guarantee of good faith he had deposited \$250,000 in a trust company. He concluded by urging the Mayor to veto the ordinances in order that others may be drafted which would provide for selling the franchises to the highest bidder and very important concessions to the public. The communication was delivered to the Mayor while he was participating in the formal transfer of the new mint to the government, but without opening the envelope, he tossed it into the crowd of spectators.

## NEIGHBORS

Charge an Indiana Woman With Witchcraft.

Jasper, Ind., June 14.—(Spl.)—Catherine Perry, aged 67, an intelligent woman, came here yesterday afternoon badly bruised. She alleges that her neighbors charge her with witchcraft, and that she is held responsible whenever a death occurs in the neighborhood, whether of man or beast. Yesterday a horse owned by a neighbor, became unmanageable. He charged the animal with being bewitched, and assaulted Mrs. Perry with a black-snake whip, knocking her down and beating and kicking her. The authorities are investigating.

## LEGAL

Hanging of Five Negro Murderers in Georgia.

Sylvania, Ga., June 14.—(Spl.)—Five negroes were hanged here today. The crime which they expiated was one of a long series. They were known as "Knights of the Archer," and their motto was "Death to the Whites." In October, 1899, Jesse Wade Fillmore and Harrington went to arrest Joe Sanders for a trivial offense. They were ambushed and killed. After months of work, Augustus, Davis, Sanders, Hudson and Byll, the negroes implicated, were tried and convicted. They died today.

## NEED STEAM?

The Place to Get It Is From Selected Food.

It is good to know the kind of food those with weak stomachs and hearts can get along with for when a man or woman is a little below par, an easily digested food is the thing that goes right to the spot.

A man in Kirksville, Mo., tells how he got out of trouble by using Grape-Nuts Food. He says, "My trouble was intense suffering in the stomach. It was called gastralgia, but no medicine gave any permanent relief. In June of last year I began to grow much worse in every respect. I was terribly constipated and the stomach pains were severe. I ran down until I weighed only 120 pounds. I had to give up my business for my nerves were completely unstrung and I could not sleep more than two or three hours during the night, and that only by snatches during a lull in the pain. I tried almost every kind of food, but finally was put on Grape-Nuts and in a little while it began to make its worth known. I began to sleep better nights, my strength gradually came back, and I gained in weight rapidly until a little while ago I weighed 165 pounds and have been a well man for months with never a touch of the old trouble. My bowels are perfect, the nervous trouble has gone. You can realize I appreciate the value of Grape-Nuts Food. Don't publish my name but you can give it in private correspondence and I will take pleasure in answering the letters."

This is another evidence of the practical worth of Grape-Nuts Food in cases of weak stomach and bad digestion. It is the most scientifically made food in existence and contains absolutely nothing but selected parts of the field grains so cooked and prepared as to admit of almost immediate digestion and assimilation, carrying with it the elements furnished by the All-Wise Creator for rebuilding the nervous system, the soft part of the brain and the solar plexus.

When one gets from food what the body needs, it is easy to get well and keep well.

## DISASTROUS

### John Jay's

Phenomenal success to the other brands of 5c cigars.

The dealers who have placed them on sale during the past 10 days follow:

#### DRUGGISTS

E. C. Davis  
Buel & Lemasters.  
E. C. Chambers.  
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Black, The Druggist.  
F. A. Collins.  
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Geo. D. Crumrine.  
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G. A. Kempel.  
H. Grov.  
Stoolmiller & Eberly.  
James T. Diehm.  
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F. Amend.  
Brady & Brobst.  
E. A. Chamberlain.  
John Milford.  
Louis Lettler.  
Kline Bros.  
G. G. Anger.  
A. E. Myers.  
Ed. Estep.  
Henry Shaffer.  
Baker & Ellis.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

Becker's cafe.  
E. J. Alderfer.  
Andy Ruof.  
J. C. Steese.  
Nick Chamberlain.  
Lest Akins.  
John Faustus.  
C. W. Weidner.  
August Schaffer.  
H. J. Stipe.  
L. D. Cook.  
George Malloney.  
Ritchie Coal Co.  
Joe Curran.  
Julius Adam.  
R. J. Wilson.  
L. F. Kimpf.  
F. Ashburn.  
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G. W. Crile.  
John Backe.  
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All first-class dealers will have the JOHN JAY on sale within the next few days.

**The John T. Donahue Cigar Co.**  
342 South Main Street  
Watch this list grow.

Improving Is Mrs. McKinley—No More Bulletins.

#### STEADILY

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Washington, D. C., June 14.—(Spl.)—After the usual consultation with other physicians this morning, Dr. Rixie announced that no further bulletins regarding Mrs. McKinley's condition would be issued unless there should be a change for the worse. She is reported to be steadily improving.

#### MRS. BOTHA

Says She Is Not Seeking Peace—Victory or Death.

Brussels, June 14.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Louis Botha, wife of the Boer commander-in-chief, gave your correspondent an interview today, both speaking in the Dutch tongue.

In answer to questions, Mrs. Botha said: "It is all a mistake to say that I have anything to tell. What has been said about my coming is all wrong. I have no official mission."

"What of your husband?" was asked; "Is he seeking peace?"

Mrs. Botha replied: "My husband will continue the war until victory or death overtakes him."

#### Pingree Seriously Ill.

London, June 14.—(Spl.)—Ex-Gov. Pingree, of Michigan, who is at the Grand Hotel, is seriously ill with peritonitis, and there are grave fears for his life. His son is with him.

**THE WEATHER**  
SHOWERS.

## DEPEW

Jollies Senator Hanna.

A Grand, Good Fellow, and All That,

But Not His Choice For the Presidency.

New York, June 14.—(Spl.)—Senator Chauncey M. Depew was asked last night what he thought of the proposed nomination of Senator Mark A. Hanna, for the Presidency. This is what he said: "Hanna for President, grand, good fellow; none better in the world; patriotic citizen, noble specimen of American manhood and statesmanship; warm friend of mine. He has the good will of the whole community. He is a true friend of the party and a true friend of the American people at large. But with all of my admiration for Senator Hanna, I want to distinctly understand that New York is going to elect the next President. We've got our old friends, Odell and Roosevelt, to look after, and we're going to do it, and do it handsomely."

#### FOUR KILLED

At a Grade Crossing at Flint, Michigan.

Flint, Mich., June 14.—(Spl.)—While Major George W. Buckingham, his daughter Anna, Mrs. Thomas Applegate and her sister, Mrs. General Humphrey, of Adrian, were out driving this morning, they were struck by a passenger train at the Hamilton ave. crossing. All four were instantly killed. The body of Maj. Buckingham was hurled 75 feet, and the remains of two of the ladies were found on the pilot of the engine.

#### CONSTITUTION

Forbids Recognizing Any Ecclesiastical Authority.

Washington, June 14.—Apropos of the talk that negotiations are on for an envoy from the Pope to this government, it may be stated that diplomatic negotiations between the President of the United States and the Vatican, whether carried on by special envoy or otherwise, are declared at the State Department to be impossible. This government cannot, under its constitution recognize any ecclesiastical authority.

#### Found Guilty.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 14.—(Spl.)—John



**MARRIED IN JUNE YES?**

Have You That Ring NO?

You should have it at once.

See

**HALE**

The Jeweler who has the Rings. See our Wedding and Diamond Rings.

**HALE**  
THE JEWELER

150 S. Main St.  
South of Standard Hardware Co.

D. Biddle was found guilty of murder in the first degree for killing Grocer Thomas Donnelly Kahney of Mount Washington, April 12, last.

#### FEELING

Against the Louisiana Negroes Is Abating.

Shreveport, La., June 14.—The negroes whose lives were in danger yesterday have been taken to jail by strong guard, and now that the feeling has cooled it is not probable they will be lynched. Nothing, however, can save Edwards if caught. It is believed he has killed himself. The trouble which led up to the shooting was the remonstrance of Foster over slack work in the fields.

#### GUESTS

Had Narrow Escapes From a Hotel Fire.

Indianapolis, June 14.—(Spl.)—The Mineral Springs hotel at West Baden burned this morning and is a total loss. No lives were lost. The loss is estimated at \$50,000. The hotel burned like tinder. It caught about 1 o'clock, in the kitchen. Guests streamed out in their night clothes and bare feet and many had narrow escapes. Many had to jump from balconies. None were seriously hurt.

#### MURDERED

And Body Secreted Under a House—Disappearance.

Jacksonville, June 14.—(Spl.)—A murder similar to those of "Jack the Ripper," was brought to light Thursday afternoon when the nude and lifeless body of Susan Battles was discovered under a house in the suburbs. She had been killed by blows on the head and knife thrusts. The nude body was then strongly tied in a compact mass, the knees almost touching the chin. It had been put in a grain sack and placed under the house. The supposed murderer is Willie Munden, who has disappeared.

#### WARDEN

Will Not Tolerate Crooked Work.

Expects to Clear the Lakes of Gill-Netters.

"As long as I am at the head of the organization there will be no crooked work," said Game Warden Ruckle Friday to a reporter for the Democrat. "If I find there is any underhand work going on I shall expose the guilty parties no matter who it is."

Referring to Louis Perry, who has recently caused a number of arrests of parties who had not violated the laws, Mr. Ruckle said: "Perry came to me and said that he had a number of men spotted who were using nets on Summit lake. He wanted a commission so that he could arrest them. I did not know him but he appeared all right and I felt that he might be able to do some good. It has since developed that he is not the man for the place. I have taken his commission from him and forced him to give up a revolver. We have got the gill netters frightened and if the people will stand by us we will clear the lakes."

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For lowest prices on good reliable PIANOS

Here is the place where you can save money.

**Pianos From \$150 up.**

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On Household Furniture, Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines, Horses, Carriages, Watches, Diamonds, Life Insurance Policies and other securities.

All goods to remain in your possession without the least publicity. You can have loans for one or 12 months, weekly or monthly payments.

LOANS MADE THE SAME DAY. OPEN EVERY EVENING.  
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## DR. MAHAR

Is Transferred to Cleveland.

Will be Succeeded by Dr. Moran.

Important Changes Announced in Pastorate of Catholic Churches.

Announcement was made today to the effect that Dr. T. F. Mahar, for many years pastor of St. Vincent's church, at Akron, will be transferred to the pastorate of St. Patrick's church at Cleveland.

Rev. Jas. O'Leary, the present pastor of St. Patrick's church, will be transferred to St. Coleman's. Dr. Francis T. Moran, to whose energy the congregation of St. Mary's church owes its marvelous progress, will be transferred to the pastorate of St. Vincent's church. He will be succeeded at St. Mary's by Rev. Jos. J. Clark.

Rev. Nicholas A. Hassel will be the new pastor of the Canal Fulton church. The changes will take effect on June 30th.

Manager Tilton Resigns.  
Mr. Wm. A. Tilton has resigned as manager of Barborton Inn, his resignation to take effect as soon as his successor is selected. He goes to a better position.

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**\$185**

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Double veneered cases, one in oak and one in mahogany. Warranted five years.

**A. B. Smith**

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**Hot Weather Garments That Are Cooling In Price**

Straw Hats, Flannel Suits, Serge Coats and Vests, Alpaca Coats, Linen and Duck Trousers, Sweaters, Neglige Shirts, Underwear, Bathing Suits, Neckwear, Golf and Bike Pants, Belts, Boys' and Children's Washable Sailor Suits, ranging in price from 50c to \$5.00. . . . .

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Interesting Items for Saturday Shoppers

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New line colored dimities and linen lace dimities 15 to 30c.  
Black Lace Swiss Stripes. Dame fashion, latest creation 25c to 65c.  
Silk Ginghams 23c. Beautiful new madras for skirt waists, fast colors, 25c.

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**Underwear**

Gent's balbriggan and fancy stripe special 25c.

**LADIES**, see our new vest without sleeves or shoulder strape 25c.

**Lace Curtains**

And curtain goods in endless variety.

**Carpets** A magnificent collection of all kinds of new floor coverings.

**The Upham-Brouse Co.**

Watch Us Grow

Return Asked.  
At the Akron district M. E. conference in Garrettsville this week a resolution was passed asking Bishop Joyce to return Presiding Elder J. W. Robins to this district. The next conference will be at Rootstown.

Deposition Taken.  
The depositions of Messrs. J. B. Wright and Chas. Baird were taken for Mrs. Sophronia J. Ritchie Wednesday in the suit in which her petition contains sensational allegations with reference to T. W. Cornell's will.

**Notice to Globe Stamp Collectors**

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